

Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

November 8, 2002

Docket No.: 032405-042

Re: Applicant(s): Vargas, Jaime, et. al.  
Assignee: Cardica, Inc.  
Title: Incision Tensioning System and Method for Using the Same  
Serial No.: 09/764,218  
Examiner: Victor X. Nguyen  
Docket No.: 032405-042  
Filed: January 16, 2001  
Group Art Unit: 3731

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:


- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter; and
- (3) Response to Office Action.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.
- ☐ Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502108 in the amount of \$ 0.00
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502108.

**Total:** \$ 0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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